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To Whom It May Concern: I have watched over the past several years while massive amounts of time and money have been spent on this issue. The proposed settlement pending before the court is just and equitable. It contains a component that will greatly benefit disadvantaged portions of the community and schools. Some might argue that there is hidden motivation and benefit to Microsoft. I would argue that the benefit to the students, families and communities is much greater and should be the primary area of concern because if it does not come from this source—it will not happen in the forseeable future.

Let's be done with this issue once and for all. I am sick of hearing and reading about it and believe that to continue this matter for another moment is a gross waste of time, energy and dollars. There is a real & great evil at work in our society that is more worthy of our focus. Microsoft has taken it's lashes. Let's move on. A concerned taxpayer and voting American.

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